MPORTANT **BUSINESS NEWS** is always found on this page, Read the small advertisements carefully.

WHAT IS GOING ON TONIGHT

Moving Pictures and Illustrated Songs at Breed Theater.

Vaudeville and Metion Pictures at Auditorium. Typographical Union No. 100 meets in C. L. U. Hall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

See the shoe specials Frank A. Bill offers today (Saturday). Ladles' \$2.50 shoes \$3, indies' juliets \$1 and \$1.25. Specials in men's shoes today.

Concert Service at Spiritual Academy

At the special concert service to be held at the Spiritual academy, Park street, tomorrow evening at 7.30, Or-ganist Charles A. Dowsett has arrang-ed a very attractive programme of in-strumental and vocal numbers, for which he will have the assistance of Miss Wolcott, prima donna soloist at Miss Wolcott, prima donna soloist at the Breed theater; Mrs. Charles S. Twist, Mrs. Charles A. Dowsett, violin-ist; Miss Hadle Blackstone, Miss Bee-

tham and others.

This service was to have been held last Sunday evening, but on account of the accident to the heater, it was postponed.

Christmas Shoppers Delighted.

Besides the many favorable comments received by the Plaut-Cadden company since the opening of their new building, it is a very ordinary occurrence during the holiday season which has just started to hear ladies express the greatest satisfaction at the exceedingly fine conveniences at the Plaut-Cadden company's store. Many who had started out to make a day of shopping have found such a variety of beautiful things for Christmas gifts at the Plaut-Cadden company that half the trouble of looking around has been done away with, so one lady expressed herself. Never was so fine an array of merchandise gotten under one roof as the Plaut-Cadden company are now showing in their new fivestory building. No doubt hundreds will take advantage of this shopping center. Christmas Shoppers Delighted.

Comores for Christmas at Cranaton's, Mr. Cranston began selling cameras and photo supplies in Norwich way back in 1830, and for many years was the only Kočak dealer in this end of our state. His long experience enour state. His long experience enables him to give competent advice in
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THE AUDITORIUM.

When it comes to vaudeville, the Auditorium certainly delivers the goods and their motto, "Always the best show in town," is lived up to, to the letter. A novel comedy sketch will be presented next week by Guy Barrett & Co. entitled The Weich Rarebit Dream. The theme of this sketch has all the elements of originality and is out of the usual run. Special scenic and electrical effects are carried for this act.

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The most accomplished, most daring, The most accomplished, most daring, and the most fascinating wire artist in the world, Mile. Lucile Omega, in her marvelous performances on the silver wire, will demonstrate that she is incomparably superior to all others.

That harmonizing couple, Maude and Marion Cleveland, will be heard in a budget of songs and gossip.

The captivating child march song, Toodles, will be pleasingly sung by Miss Morelle.

One of the many feature pictures will

One of the many feature pictures will be the beautifully colored religious picture, The Prodigal Son, etc.

BREED THEATER.

Custor's Last Battle, Sensational Indian Picture.

One of the most exciting and bril-

One of the most exciting and brilliant films seen here in a long time is the great feature picture shown at the Breed theater for the balance of the week, entitled Custer's Last Battle, or, On the Little Big Horn.

This picture is a distinct novelty inasmuch as it is photographed directly upon historic ground and is participated in by many of the original members of the Indian band who trapped Custer and his limited number of men, completely annihilating the brave little force.

The picture abounds with number-as views of Indians; in fact, the Indians are quite as much in evidence as Custer and his men, and the gaudily painted bodies of the Sioux form a picturesque feature of this gigantic film, their marvelous riding being the subject of much comment.

The sublimely beautiful scenery of the Bloresh features their the the comment.

the Blograph feature picture befits the superb action that takes place in front superb action that takes place in front of it, and the closing scene, where the mountaineer's honor is saved, and the pair of lovers wend their way downward through the valley until the shades of night close them from view, is a series of panoramic beauty.

There is some novel comedy and the wonderful French pictures are very new in conception and gorgeous in scenic splendor.

The great tidal waves observed at Marseilles. France, June 15, 1909, appear to have been caused by the unusually high electric charge of the atmosphere which is known to have existed during the period of the earthquakes which devastated the south of France. The powerful attraction existed on the surface of the earth by this electric charge caused earthquakes on land and tidal waves in the Mediterranean.

LEGAL NOTICES

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD at Norwich, within and for the District of Norwich, within and for the District of Norwich, on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1903.

Present—NEELSON J. AYLING, Judge, Estate of Louisa A. Bennett, late of Voluntown, in said District, deceased. The Administrator exhibited his administration account with said estate to the Court for allowance; it is therefore.

Ordered, That the 14th day of December, A. D. 1909, at 11 o'clock in the forenoen, at the Probate Court Room in the City of Norwich, in said District, be, and the same is, appointed for hearing the same, and the said Administrator is directed to give notice thereof by publishing this order once in some newspaper having a circulation in said District, at least three days prior to the date of said hearing, and make return to the Court.

NELSON J. AYLING, Judge.

The above and foregoing is a true sepy of record.

PANNIE C. CHURCH.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

The Christian Science subject Sun-day morning is God, the Preserver of Man.

Sunday afternoon at the Sheltering Arms, Rev. J. H. Newland will conduct the service.

At the North Main Street M. E. church there will be preaching at 2.15, followed by Sunday school.

There will be preaching by Rev. Dr. S. H. Howe at Park Congregational church, Sunday morning and after-

At the Salvation Army headquarters Sunday Major L. M. Simonson of Hart-ford will speak at 11 a. m., afternoon and evening.

Sunday morning at the Preston City Baptist church there will be an ad-dress on Mission by Mrs. Frank A. Roath of Norwich.

Rev. D. Samuel Orner, the great western evangelist, will preach at the Mt. Calvary Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

There will be morning prayer and sermon at St. Andrew's Episcopal church Sunday morning, with evening prayer and sermon at 7.30 p. m.

Rev. J. R. Very will preach at the Third Baptist church Sunday morning on A Neglected Christian Grace, while his evening subject is Three Warn-

Moses and Pharach is the morning topic of Rev. D. B. MacLane at the Taftville Congregational church. In the evening he will preach on Christ Must Increase. At the First Congregational church, Rev. G. H. Ewing pastor, the Sunday morning topic will be My Deposit. The evening service will be omitted in order to unite with the Second church.

The Wonderful Engraving is the Sunday morning subject of Rev. W. H. McLean at the Grace Memorial Baptist church, while his evening topic is The Sin of Disobedience.

At the Greeneville Congregational church Sunday morning the pastor will speak on Faithfulness the Crown of Life. In the evening there will be a union service at the Second church.

Sunday morning Rev. Dr. M. S. Kauf-man will preach at Trinity Methodist Episcopai church. There will be no evening service because of union meet-ing at Second Congregational church.

Sunday morning there will be preaching at the Methodist church at Norwich Town, but the evening service will be omitted because of the union service at the Second Congregational church.

The topic of Rev. Joseph Cobb at the Buckingham Memorial Sunday morning is The Need of the Christ Life. At the Y. P. C. U. service at 6.30 the subject is Joseph's Treatment of His Brothers.

At the A. M. E. Zion church Sunday morning, Rev. W. H. Eley will preach on Shiloh, and at three o'clock there will be a Pentecostal service with Rev. Dr. Orner in charge. In the evening the pastor speaks on The evening the Holy City.

At Trinity Episcopal church there will be Holy Communion at 9.30 a.m., morning prayer and sermon at 10.30 a.m., and evening prayer and sermon at 7.30 p.m. The rector, Rev. J. Eldred Brown, will officiate.

Sunday morning at the Second Congregational church there will be Communion and reception of new members. In the evening there will be a farewell union service with addresses by Dr. Howe, Rev. P. C. Wright and Dr. M. S. Kaufman.

Rev. Albert P. Blinn will speak at the Spiritual academy Sunday morn-ing upon the subject, Work, the Eman-cipator. There will be a special con-cert service in the evening with Miss Wolcott, soloist. The Progressive Ly-ceum meets at 12 o'clock.

At the Broadway Congregational church the pastor will preach at the morning service. In the evening the congregation will unite in the service at the Second church, and the afternoon appointments will therefore be omitted.

At the First Baptist church Sunday the pastor, Rev. William T. Thayer, will preach in the morning on the subject When Paul Seemed to Strike a Discordant Note. In the evening the sermon theme is Profit and Loss in the Christian Life. The ordinance of baptism will be administered and the chorus choir will sing.

At Christ church Sunday there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 9.30, morning prayer and sermon at 10.30 o'clock, and evening prayer and sermon at 7.30. Hev. Nellson Poe Carey will officiate. The subject in the morning will be Review of the Life and Work of the late Rev. William R. Huntington, D. D., rector of Grace church, New York.

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BUSINESS NEWS

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FOETRY.

I useter be "it" at Christmas;
The whole darned thing was me.
But it ain't that way no longar,
For we've got a baby—see?
An' happens that I ain't in it
Around that Christmas tree!

Of course I do get some present The same's I useter get; If I didn't—well, it I didn't There'd be a kick, you bet. An' we have the tree an' fixin's The same's we useter; you—

It's "Baby! Oh see see baby!"
"Does baby like it! There!"
"Did Santy bring lots of pittles?
"No, baby mustn't tear!"
"Let babykins have it, brother—
Till a feller wants to swean

They've give him a let more stoff'n
He'll ever, ever use.
An' what do you think? It's my stuff
He always has to choose!
An' I have to hand it ever
For "baby" to abuse!

He's played with my truly engine
An' put it on the bum;
An' he's sat on my beck of injuna,
An' stuck a hoje in my frum;
An' it ain't such fun at Christmas
Since that there baby come. But they needn't think they can "Santy"

Him like they've "Sentied" me;
For I'm agoin' to tell him
There ain't no Santy—gee!

An' mebbe he'll think he'd rather
Go back to heaven—see?

—Bdwin L Sabin, in Lippincott's Magazine.

VIEWS AND VARIETIES

Clever Sayings

Artist (proudly)—I am taking the view from nature. Spectator—I don's believe nature will miss anything—Boston Herald. The Client—How much will your epinion be worth in this case? The Lawyer—I'm too modest to say. But I can tell you what I'm going to charge you for it.—Cleveland Leader.

Lord de Broke—Poohl When I mar-ried you, dontcherknow, your father was in trade. Lady de Broke (former-ly an American heiress)—True, and I was badly sold.—Boston Globe.

was badly sold.—Boston Globe.

Young Wife—Don't you admire a man who always says the right thing at the right time? Spinster—I'm sure I could if I ever have the pleasure of meeting such a man.—Jowlah _edger.

"I have two proposals of marriage." said the practical New York woman. "I don't know which to accept." "I should begin," replied Mra. Worldhiwise, "by marrying the one who can afford to pay the larger alimony."—Washington Star.

Actor of Provincial Company—Can

Actor of Provincial Company—Can you give me twopence on account? I must get a shave. I have been playing Hamlet for four days and my beard is beginning to grow. Manager—Well, that's easily remedied. We'll put on "Othello."—Ban Vivant.

She—My new gown is just lovely; it's a perfect fit. He—Satisfied on that point, eh? Shs—Yes. I know it's a good fit because it pinches me so—He—Well, it doesn't pinch you half as much as it does my pocketbook—Catholic Standard and Times. "That was Dr. Pondrous who was talking to you a little while age. He's a very learned man." "He must be." "Why, how do you know? He was only talking to you for a few minutes." "Well, it was long enough to make me very tired."—Catholic Standard and

"Now Tommy," said the teacher in her most persuasive tones, "tell us when is the harvest season?" "From November to March," said Tommy, with great promptness, "Why, Tommy, I am surprised that you should name such barren months. Whe told you they were the harvest season?" "Ps., He's a plumber."—Chicago News.

Dad is on the barn roof launching a balloen.

With wooden wings beneath his arms he says: "Til soar soon."

Sis has turned her parasol into a parachute,
And tied the cat on with a string and
says it's "cunning cute."
Brother, with his aeroplane, is on the

Brother, with his acceptance of the gurden wall, and main spreading feather beds to catch them when they fall. —Chicago News.

MUCH IN LITTLE Japan recently completed and placed in commission the fastest passenger steamship in the Pacific. Oil fuel and turbine engines give it a speed of 22

The Chinese board of posts and com-munications intends to follow the for-eign fashion by establishing postal and telegraph officers at the principal rail-way stations for the convenience of travelers. It is stated that the next Japanese

budget will contain an appropriation of \$400,000 gold for the purpose of har-bor construction at Tsuruga. This money is to be spread over four years in equal portions. The total length of raflway under construction or immediately projected in India is 3,222 miles, of which about one-third is by the British government and the rest by private companies. The estimated cost is over \$12, < 900,000.

Dr. J. Knett, the expert mineralogist of the Austrian government for the Carlsbad district, has discovered radium in the crystals found in the Carlsbad thermal springs, especially in Muhlbrunn, and also in a greenish quartz at Marienbad.

A remarkable suspension bridge spans the River Apurimas, in Central Peru. The ropes of this bridge are composed of pliable roots and vines, while the planks are made of branches. In the humid climate of Peru it would be by no means extraordinary if this vegetable bridge were one day to start growing. growing.

Thirteen grams of radium chlorida have been produced at the Imperial Austrian radium factory located at St. Joachimsthal. It is estimated that this mineral has a value of \$45,000 to \$50,-000 a gram, or more than half a million dollars for the entire amount. Purs metallic radium is never seen, but is always in combination. The use of modern methods in agri-The use of modern methods in agriculture is practically unknown to the
farmers of Tripoll. The conditions are
very different from those in Tunis and
Algeria, where the cultivation of land
is encouraged by the governments, and
where there is a class of colonist farmers which understands the uses of ag-

ricultural machinery. Complaint has been made to the Ipa-wich (England) guardians that in-mates of the workhouse infirmary were washed as early as 3 o'clock in the morning and a member protested against it, especially in the cases of the the older folks. The reply was made that it would be impossible to begin later unless more nurses were amployed.

Canadian newspapers amounce the opening in Ottawa of the first Chinese consulate general for Canada; it will report on trade affairs direct to the board of foreign affairs at Peking. The Dominion government has appointed a trade commissioner to China, who announces in the North China Daily News that he has established an office at 15 Kiukiang road, Shanghal